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Annual Reports
OF THE
Town of Kensington
New Hampshire

*For the Year Ending
January 31, 1932*



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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN, TREASURER
HIGHWAY AGENTS
TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC TRUST FUNDS
TAX COLLECTOR
BOARD OF EDUCATION
AND
SCHOOL TREASURER
OF THE
TOWN OF KENSINGTON
NEW HAMPSHIRE
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1932

SELECTMEN
HENRY W. BROWN OTIS H. EASTMAN
LEVI N. SANBORN
MODERATOR
STEPHEN BROWN
SUPERVISORS OF CHECKLIST
HARRY T. PHILBRICK WALTER HILLARD
HERMAN W. SHAW
TOWN CLERK
HORACE O. EVANS
TREASURER
HARRY T. PHILBRICK
TAX COLLECTOR
EVERETT S. MACE

TOWN REPORT

HIGHWAY AGENTS

GEORGE B. SHAW

GEORGE E. RAY

ALONZO CARTER

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

HOWARD BLAKE

MARION KIMBALL

SARAH A. GREEN

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUND

GEORGE OSGOOD

MELVIN T. ARMSTRONG

GEORGE A. PRESCOTT

BOARD OF EDUCATION

RUTH B. ARMSTRONG

AGNES E. BRISTOL

SCHOOL TREASURER

DOROTHY R. CARD

CONSTABLES

ERNEST D. LORD

MOSES BREWSTER

HORACE B. PHILBRICK

FIRE WARDEN

STEPHEN BROWN

TOWN REPORT

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of Kensington in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Kensington on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.

3. To make appropriation for the amount required to be raised for highway purposes under Chapters 80, 84 and 85 of the Public Laws.

State Aid Construction

Town to raise \$658.50, State to give \$1,316.00—Total \$1,974.50.

State Aid Maintenance

Town to raise \$400.00, State to give \$4,500.00—Total \$4,900.00.

Trunk Line Maintenance

Town to raise \$900.00, State to give \$2,700.00—Total \$3,600.00

4. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$75 for Memorial Day.

5. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$225 for the Public Library.

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6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to resurface Gove's Hill.

7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 to resurface the road from the main road to Mace's Corner.

8. By petition of John Robinson and 12 others to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300 for the resurfacing of the road leading from the East School Corner to the residence of William Mitchell.

9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$300 to resurface the road from Kelton's Corner to the residence of John Blake.

10. By petition of H. Baker and 12 others to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 to widen the bridge and repair the road from Sherman Shaw's Corner to Baker's Corner.

11. By petition of William Dow and 12 others to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 to repair the road from William Dow's Residence to A. B. Hubbard's.

12. By petition of D. Everett Palmer and 12 others to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, Town Clerk and Treasurer to meet in the Town Hall the first Monday evening in each month from 8 P. M. to 9 P. M. to transact town business.

13. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for White Pine Blister Rust Control.

14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Contingent Fund.

15. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and renew and refund town notes.

16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 to resurface the road from P. Roy's Corner to the residence of Harry B. Greenwood.

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17. On petition of George A. Evans and 12 others to see what action the Town will take in regard to purchasing a pump and equipment for fighting fires, and to see what sum of money they will raise and appropriate for same.

To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this eighteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty two.

HENRY W. BROWN
OTIS H. EASTMAN
LEVI N. SANBORN

Selectmen of Kensington.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY W. BROWN
OTIS H. EASTMAN
LEVI N. SANBORN

Selectmen of Kensington.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY

Land and buildings	\$345,520.00
Standing timber	45,900.00
Cut lumber	6,000.00
Houses, 81	5,865.00
Cows, 468	29,810.00
Neat Stock, 50	2,465.00
Hogs, 3	60.00

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Fowl, 795	795.00
Billboards	100.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	900.00
Stock in trade	1,250.00
Mills and Machinery	250.00
Electric poles and wires	11,000.00
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	\$449,915.00
Soldier's exemptions	7,000.00
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	\$442,915.00
Polls, 250	\$500.00
Property tax	13,951.82
Bank tax	31.00
Interest and dividend tax	18.98
Savings bank tax	146.54
Automobile permits	461.02
3 extra Poll taxes collected	6.00
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	\$15,115.36
Tax Rate \$3.15 per hundred	

APPROPRIATIONS

State tax	\$854.00
County tax	854.61
Contingencies	2,500.00
State Aid Construction	669.00
State Aid Maintenance	1,000.00
Trunk Line	338.00
Prescott's Corner to Exeter line	500.00
Philear Ray's corner to S. H. line.	200.00
Slumpfield Road	1,000.00
George Frame's corner and bridge	300.00
Memorial Day	75.00

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South Road appropriation	300.00
Public Library	200.00
Public Library repairs	35.00
Road from N. School to H. Townes'	300.00
Highways by law $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1% valuation	1,120.00
Schools	4,882.50
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	\$15,128.11

ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$198.79
Uncollected taxes, 1924	4.80
Uncollected taxes, 1925	132.87
Uncollected taxes, 1926	122.97
Uncollected taxes, 1927	4.00
Uncollected taxes, 1928	4.00
Uncollected taxes, 1931	1,883.90
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	\$2,351.33

LIABILITIES

Dog licenses, due Schools	\$141.40
Due schools, balance of appropriation	132.50
State Aid Construction, Town treasurer	12.14
State Aid Construction, State treasurer	12.14
Library appropriation, balance	25.00
Net surplus, Feb. 1, 1932	2,028.15
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	\$2,351.33

HENRY W. BROWN
OTIS H. EASTMAN
LEVI N. SANBORN

Selectmen of Kensington.

TOWN REPORT

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For Year Ending Jan. 31st, 1932

Dog License Account

Dr.

1930 received for 3 male dogs @ \$2.00	\$6.00
1931 received for 44 male dogs @ \$2.00	88.00
1931 received for 6 female dogs @ \$5.00	30.00
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	\$124.00

Cr.

Fees, 53 @ 20c	\$10.60
Paid Town Treasurer	113.40
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	\$124.00

Auto Permits

Dr.

1931 received for 63 permits including Transfers, and one third rate beginning September 1st	\$116.85
1932 received for Permits, 100	344.17
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Paid Town Treasurer	\$461.02

HORACE O. EVANS,

Town Clerk.

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COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Balance of 1930

Dr.

Property taxes to collect	\$1,738.47
Poll taxes to collect, 35	70.00
Interest	67.96
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	\$1,876.43

Cr.

Property taxes collected	\$1,738.47
Poll taxes collected, 32	64.00
Poll taxes abated, 3	6.00
Interest	67.96
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	\$1,876.43

Account of 1931

Dr.

Property taxes to collect	\$13,945.82
Poll taxes to collect, 253	506.00
Bank stock	31.00
Interest	10.51
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	\$14,493.33

Cr.

Property taxes collected	\$11,910.22
Poll taxes collected, 196	392.00
Bank Stock	31.00
Discounts	121.45
Abatements, property	110.25
Abatements, poll, 17	34.00
Uncollected, property taxes	1,803.90
Uncollected poll taxes, 40	80.00
Interest	10.51
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	\$14,493.33

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Cash Received from Everett S. Mace, Tax Collector

Property tax, 1930	\$1,738.47	
Poll taxes, 1930 (32)	64.00	
Interest	67.96	
	<hr/>	\$1,870.43
Property tax, 1931	\$11,910.22	
Poll taxes, 1931 (196)	392.00	
Bank stock	31.00	
Interest	10.51	
	<hr/>	\$12,343.73

Cash Received From State Highway Money

June 25, 1931, Snow money	\$104.00	
Aug. 4, 1931, Road money	2,461.85	
Aug. 12, 1931, Road money	39.85	
Oct. 3, 1931, Road money	600.00	
Jan. 11, 1932, Road money	2,000.00	
Jan. 18, 1932, Road money	578.17	
	<hr/>	\$5,783.87
Interest and dividend tax	\$18.98	
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Savings Bank tax	146.54	
		\$165.52

Cash Received From Other Sources

Aug. 13, 1931, Harvey Wilbur:		
Tax and cost of sale of Leon Hervey's land	\$4.15	
Feb. 15, 1932 (1 Poll tax, 1928)	2.00	
Rent of Town Hall	4.00	
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Cash Received From Horace O. Evans, Town Clerk

Dog Money

1930	3 males	\$6.00	
1931	44 males	88.00	
1931	6 females	30.00	
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		\$124.00	
Fees		10.60	
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			\$113.40

Automobile Permits

1931		\$116.85	
1932		344.17	
		\$461.02	
Notes of Rockingham National Bank		2,500.00	
			\$23,921.44

HARRY T. PHILBRICK,

Treasurer of the Town of Kensington.

Paid on Selectman's Orders	\$23,722.65
Cash on hand Feb. 25, 1932	198.79
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Total	\$23,921.44

HARRY T. PHILBRICK,

Treasurer.

TOWN REPORT

EXPENDITURES IN DETAIL

Officers' Salaries

Henry W. Brown, Selectman	\$90.00
Otis H. Eastman, Selectman	50.00
Levi N. Sanborn, Selectman	50.00
Horace O. Evans, Clerk	50.00
Harry T. Philbrick, Treasurer	50.00
Everett S. Mace, Collector	177.68
Ernest D. Lord, Constable	5.00
Moses W. Brewster, Constable, 1930-1931	10.00
Ernest D. Lord, dog notices	3.00
Ernest D. Lord, Board of Health	7.90
George C. Prescott, Auditor	3.00
Marion E. Frame, Auditor	6.00
Harry T. Philbrick, Supervisor	15.00
Walter A. Hilliard, Supervisor	15.00
Herman W. Shaw, Supervisor	15.00
Stephen Brown, Moderator 1930, three meetings	12.00
Stephen Brown, Moderator, two meetings	8.00
Total	<hr/> \$567.58

Officers' Expense

Batchelder Book Store	\$.65
Edson Eastman Co., dog tags	4.69
Exeter Printing Co., printing Ballots	6.00
Walter A. Hilliard, making taxes	15.00
Jos. D. Sullivan, advice to Clerk H. O. Evans	5.00
Orin Philbrick, housing road machine	1.50
The Rowe Printing Co., 100 Tax Collector's Notices	2.00

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Exeter Printing Co., Valuation Reports	30.00
Exeter Printing Co., Town Reports	75.00
Harry T. Philbrick, expense	.86
Henry W. Brown, expense	21.00
E. H. Blaisdell, repairing road machine	27.75
Otis H. Eastman, expense	2.00
Harry T. Philbrick, bond	10.00
M. G. Armstrong, G. A. Prescott, G. Osgood, bond	5.00
Everett S. Mace, bond	10.00
Everett S. Mace, collector's meeting	10.00
Horace O. Evans, Automotive Reference Manuel	4.98
Horace O. Evans, fees, auto permits	15.75
Horace O. Evans, auto fees for 1932	25.00
Levi N. Sanborn, telephone expense	1.90
L. F. Strout, hanging up lantern	2.00
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$276.08

Town Hall Expense

George Prescott, insurance	\$30.00
Ernest D. Lord, janitor	2.00
Ernest D. Lord, school meeting	2.00
Exeter and Hampton Electric Co.	29.25
Ernest D. Lord, labor on hall	1.50
E. B. Warner, supplies	2.86
Herbert Eastman, wood	18.50
F. S. Gurney, tuning piano	2.00
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$88.11

Fire Expense

Amesbury Fire Department, Batchelder fire	50.00
Howard Eastman, Batchelder fire	3.00
John Yelle, Batchelder fire	3.00
Exeter Fire Department Mace Fire	15.00
Exeter Fire Department, H. W. Bodwell fire	15.00
Ernest D. Lord, Kimball and York fire	2.00
Melvin Armstrong, Kimball and York fire	2.00

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Melvin Armstrong, Kimball and York fire	6.60
Exeter Fire Department, Goodwin fire	16.00
Stephen Brown, Horse Hill fire	10.00
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Total	\$122.60

Snow Expense

Exeter Highway Dept.	\$891.00
H. R. Towne	2.25
S. E. Rand Transportation Co.	12.00
Amos Gove	3.00
Irving Gove	1.50
Alvah E. Perkins	6.00
S. E. Rand Transportation Co.	152.00
Howard Eastman	5.25
John R. Malloy	7.50
Horace O. Evans, trunk line	24.00
Horace O. Evans, State Aid Road	66.00
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Total	\$1,170.50

Exeter, N. H.
Town of Kensington, Dr.

To Town of Exeter Highway Dept.

Plowing Snow 1930-1931

1930	
Dec. 27 Mack truck, 2 hours @ \$3.00	\$6.00
Dec. 28 5 ton tractor, 6 hours @ \$10.00	60.00
Dec. 29 10 ton tractor, 11 hours @ \$15.00	165.00
1931	
Feb. 1 10 ton tractor, 12 hours @ \$15.00	180.00
Feb. 10 10 ton tractor, 10 hours @ \$15.00	150.00
Feb. 11 10 ton tractor, 6 hours @ \$15.00	90.00
Feb. 21 10 ton tractor, 16 hours @ \$15.00	240.00
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	\$891.00

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Received Payment,

ALVIN E. FOSS,.....

Highway Agent for Town of Exeter.

Highway Maintenance

George B. Snow, Agent	\$401.35
G. E. Ray, Agent	371.88
Alonzo Carter, Agent	371.96
Levi N. Sanborn	3.00
George Church	6.40
John R. Malloy	21.81
John Yelle	3.96
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	\$1,180.36

A. A. Carter, Road Agent

Paid:

George Frame	\$8.00
O. Philbrick	1.50
Horace Evans	23.00
Arthur Evans	4.30
Steven Brown	3.00
Theodore Carter	48.81
M. P. Carter	54.45
A. A. Carter	176.10
(154 loads of gravel)	52.80
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	\$372.00

Unexpended Balance	<hr/>	\$.04
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G. E. Ray

Scraping roads	\$86.50
South Road, labor and gravel	27.63
Replacing culvert with tile, Stumpfield Rd.	6.50
Brewster Rd., installing tile culvert	9.00
Brewster Rd., labor, gravel and rocks	20.50
Cutting bushes, raking stones, ditches	28.75
South on Blake Rd., from Mace's corner, labor and gravel	74.75
School House Rd., labor and gravel	24.25
Stumpfield Rd., labor and gravel	94.00
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	\$371.88
Selectmen's order	\$372.00
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Unexpended balance	\$.12

George B. Shaw, Highway Agent

in account with Town on Kensington, 1931

Received from Town	\$401.35
Paid for labor at \$3.00 per day:	
George B. Shaw	74.19
Peter N. Beane	3.56
John Blake	6.00
George Dennis	15.00
H. D. Peacock	21.00

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Orin Philbrook, with horses	15.31
H. C. Ayers	14.63
S. W. Shaw, with horses	81.61
Walter Hilliard	32.25
George Johnson	6.00
O. D. Nudd	6.00
Parker Blodgett	34.50
Arthur Crowell	2.25
Frank Kimball, with horses	7.00
George Armstrong with horses	7.00
George B. Shaw, with truck	55.25
George B. Shaw, gravel @ 20c	17.80
George B. Shaw, 4 posts	2.00
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	\$401.35

Election and Registration

George Osgood, ballot clerk, two meetings	6.00
F. L. Ferrin, gate keeper, three meetings	9.00
J. F. Clark, ballot clerk, two meetings	6.00
Ernest D. Lord, inspector, two meetings	6.00
E. D. Hunt gate keeper, two meetings	6.00
William N. Dow gate keeper	3.00
John R. Malloy, ballot inspector Mar., Sept. and Nov., 1930	9.00
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	45.00

PAYROLL

State Road Maintenance

by Otis H. Eastman

George Dennis	\$92.82
Joseph Clark	67.32
Moses Evans	120.11
Earl Wilbur	71.82
Howard Eastman	140.26
George Beckman	69.59

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Otis Eastman	155.64
George Eastman	84.75
Harvey Wilbur	33.00
Edward Wilbur	30.00
Herbert Eastman	421.32
Horace Evans	207.63
Arthur Evans	233.57
Melvin Armstrong	194.07
Harry Philbrick	61.32
Henry Brown	75.76
William Anderson	10.50
Alexander Groetz	33.75
Dale Gillispie	43.14
Henry W. Brown, gravel	154.00
H. L. Eastman, mixing machine	66.75
Moses Evans, wood	1.00
E. Bowley, wood	77.00
Oscar Gove	.95
H. W. Brown, wood	1.20
Granville Gilmore	59.08
Amos Gove	3.00
Arthur George	65.07
Smith Grain Co., supplies	1.50
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies	4.90
Amesbury Hardware Co., supplies	6.70
Otis Eastman, freight on tar	80.43
Edward Hunt	27.19
Alcide Millette	28.70
George Manson	34.89
Fred Ferrin	20.26
Hyla Peacock	19.50
Ralph Gove	8.82
Joseph Millette	12.20
Theodore Carter	8.45
George Millette	8.45
Young's Hardware Co., supplies	2.70
Herbert Towne	4.50
Raymond Sargent	6.38

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Bert Fellows	7.88
John Yell	3.00
Orrin Philbrick	1.88
George Shaw, gravel	3.00
Howard Blake	15.00
Paid Herbert Eastman	5.25
Paid Orrin Philbrick	8.50
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	\$2,894.50

PAY ROLL

Trunk Line Maintenance

By Otis H. Eastman

George Dennis	\$87.38
Joseph Clark	61.50
Moses Evans	114.00
Earl Wilbur	45.00
Howard Eastman	69.75
George Beckman	41.25
Otis Eastman	135.01
Granville Gilmore	43.50
Melvin Armstrong	133.13
Herbert Eastman	366.13
Henry W. Brown, gravel	97.40
Horace Evans	92.63
Arthur Evans	54.50
Alexander Groetz	97.50
George Shaw	24.00
Richard Wilbur	1.50
John Conway	1.50
Howard Blake	9.00
Orrin Philbrick	1.50
Exeter Lumber Co.	16.22
John Yell	1.12
Henry W. Brown	28.50
Joseph Millette	10.50
George Millette	10.50
Theodore Carter	6.00
Harvey Wilbur	12.00

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Fred Ferrin	31.50
Raymond Sargent	10.50
Bert Fellows	12.75
Edward Wilbur	10.50
George Manson	16.50
Herbert Towne	7.50
Amesbury Hardware Co.	2.35
Oscar P. Gove	3.90
E. Bowley, wood	38.50
Arthur George	40.88
Dale Gillispie	34.50
George Eastman	58.50
Otis Eastman, freight on tar	61.68
H. L. Eastman, mixing machine	33.00
H. L. Eastman, wood	11.00
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	\$1,934.58

State Aid Construction

A. C. Evans	\$42.00
H. T. Philbrick	90.00
G. Armstrong	35.00
M. G. Armstrong	57.00
George Church	94.61
H. Baker	35.00
A. Carter	39.00
S. W. Shaw	28.00
Frank Kimball	35.00
A. Philbrick	35.00
Alva Brewer	33.25
E. A. Bickford	24.00
Peter Beane	34.50
E. Lord	27.00
W. A. Hilliard	27.00
F. L. Ferrin	27.00
Earl Wilbur	27.00
P. Blodgett	24.00

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S. Blodgett	9.00
G. Dennis	27.00
T. Carter	24.00
M. Carter	10.50
R. F. Gove	24.00
Alfred Scott	9.00
G. B. Shaw	9.00
Paul Healey	12.00
Russell Crowell	12.00
L. F. Wesson	1.50
Arthur Crowell	27.75
H. Brown	8.25
L. Dodge	19.50
L. N. Sanborn	42.23
G. B. Shaw, gravel	32.60
L. F. Wesson, gravel	23.56
A. Philbrick, gravel	23.75
Total	<hr/> \$1,030.00

PAY ROLLS

State Aid Construction on South Road
By Henry Brown

Henry W. Brown	\$27.00
Herbert Eastman	64.50
Melvin Armstrong	72.00
Arthur Evans	69.75
Harry Philbrick	60.00
Horace Evans	36.00
Alexander Groetz	72.00
Arthur Crowell	12.00
Harvey Wilbur	41.63
Edward Hunt	15.00
William Anderson	15.00
Edward Wilbur	27.00

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Herbert Towne	30.00
Howard Eastman	34.13
Ernest Lord	41.63
Otis Eastman	34.88
Howard Blake	21.38
Oscar Brown	3.00
Frank Brown	39.69
William Card, sand	21.00
Henry W. Brown, gravel	187.40
Earl Wilbur	24.00
Exeter Lumber Co., supplies	6.00
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	\$954.99

State Aid Maintenance, Extra Apportionment By Otis Eastman

Joseph Clark	\$35.06
William Mitchell	24.00
Fred Ferrin	30.00
Walter Greenwood	21.00
George Dennis	27.38
George Beckman	27.00
Paul Healey	21.00
Alfred Gordon	15.00
Herbert Eastman	68.00
H. L. Eastman, mixing machine	6.56
Arthur Crowell	24.00
Henry Brown, gravel	2.40
Ralph Jordon	4.50
Edward Hunt	6.56
Howard Eastman	48.00
George Eastman	18.00
Alfred Groetz	19.50
John Groetz	19.50
Ambrose Groetz	16.50
Harvey Wilbur	13.50
Richard Robinsor	13.50
Ernest Lord	2.25

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Hilliard and Kimball, supplies	8.15
Moses Evans	12.00
Earl Wilbur	9.00
William Anderson	6.00
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Unclassified

A. A. Colby, damage by dogs	\$15.75
State New Hampshire Forestry Department, Pine Blister Prevention	298.17
Melvin Armstrong, damage by dogs	12.00
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Total	\$325.92

Town of Kensington Blister Rust Control Daily Crew Expenses

July	30, 1931	\$ 5.04
	31, 1931	11.88
Aug.	1, 1931	11.88
	3, 1931	20.70
	4, 1931	20.70
	5, 1931	20.70
	6, 1931	20.70
	7, 1931	20.70
	8, 1931	20.70
	14, 1931	20.70
	15, 1931	12.65
	17, 1931	20.70
	18, 1931	20.70
	19, 1931	20.70
	20, 1931	20.70
	21, 1931	20.70
	22, 1931	20.70
	24, 1931	17.28

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25, 1931	17.28
26, 1931	20.70
27, 1931	6.90
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	\$372.71
State's share	\$74.54
Town's share	\$298.17

General Highway Expenses

Levi N. Sanborn, hauling and putting up snow fence	\$12.94
Dale Gillispie, removing snow fence	3.00
Melvin Armstrong, removing snow fence	15.00
Horace O. Evans, putting up snow fence	11.25
Exeter Lumber Co., Philbrick tile	5.40
George B. Shaw, printing guide boards	6.00
Exeter Lumber Co.	36.70
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	\$90.29

Public Library

Marion Kimball, treasurer	\$200.00
Howard Blake, care of Library lawn	10.00
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	\$210.00

Notes and Interest

Rockingham National Bank, note	\$2,500.00
Interest	69.09
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Total	\$2,569.09

Memorial Day

Exeter Band	\$50.00
L. F. Elkins, flags	8.50
Orator	12.00
Twine, telephone, and etc.	4.50
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Total	\$75.00

Otis H. Eastman

Stumpfield Road	\$1,000.00
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Henry W. Brown

South Road	\$500.00
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Levi N. Sanborn

George Prescott's corner to Exeter line	\$530.00
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Levi N. Sanborn

Removing bank owned by George E. Frame	224.44
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George B. Shaw

Widening bridge at George Weare	84.71
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George B. Shaw

North School House to Herbert Towne's	325.85
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Other Governmental Expense

State tax	\$854.00
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County tax	854.61
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School treasurer	4,750.00
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\$6,458.61

Cemetery Expenses

John P. Blake, care taker	\$71.50
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John P. Blake, labor on fence	19.75
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Exeter Lumber Co.	31.00
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Ernest D. Lord, labor	24.00
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W. A. Young, supplies	4.40
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\$150.65

Support of Poor for Earl Wilbur

Arthur George, transportation (no receipt)	\$11.00
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First National Store	9.72
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A. R. Goretz, transportation	12.10
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W. M. Gowen, druggist	19.65
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E. B. Warner	34.00
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H. W. Brown, supplies	11.14
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P. J. Mullen, M. D.	50.00
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Total	\$147.61
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ABATEMENTS, 1930

Polls	
Millet, Bernard B.	\$2.00
Millet, J. W.	2.00
Millet, Nellie	2.00
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	\$6.00

ABATEMENTS, 1932

Polls	
Ashton, Arthur	\$2.00
Evans, George A.	2.00
Groetz, John	2.00
Hunter, Beatrice	2.00
McEvoy, Annie	2.00
Millet, Agnes	2.00
Millet, Alice B.	2.00
Millet, Alcide	2.00
Millet, Bernard B.	2.00
Millet, Ernest	2.00
Millet, Charles	2.00
Millet, Nellie	2.00
Murry, Ethel	2.00
Murry, Joseph	\$2.00
Ray, George H.	2.00
Sawyer, Robert	2.00
Stevens, Elbridge	2.00
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	\$34.00

Property

Stevens, Elbridge	\$9.45
Millet, Charles	31.50
Church, George	6.30
Savage, Lester	63.00
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	\$110.25

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PAYROLLS

By Henry W. Brown
Echo Park Road Appropriation

Henry W. Brown, labor and gravel	\$50.00
Harry T. Philbrick	24.00
Melvin Armstrong	24.00
Alexander Groetz	24.00
Oran Philbrick	6.00
Harvey Wilbur	6.00
Oscar Brown	6.00
William Anderson	4.50
E. D. Hunt	10.50
Earl Wilbur	6.00
Dale Gillispie	9.00
Ernest D. Lord	6.00
Horace O. Evans	24.00
Total	<hr/> \$200.00

PAYROLLS

South Road Appropriation
By Henry W. Brown

Henry W. Brown, labor and gravel	\$63.00
Harry T. Philbrick	24.00
Melvin Armstrong	36.00
Alexander Grotez	36.00
Horace O. Evans	48.00
Hervey Wilbur	12.00
Ernest D. Lord	24.00
Dale Gillispie	12.00
Oran Philbrick	6.00
Earl Wilbur	9.00
Oscar Brown	9.00
E. D. Hunt	6.00
William Mitchell	6.00
William Anderson	6.00
George Beckman	3.00
Total	<hr/> \$300.00

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Frames Corner

O. Philbrick	\$41.56
George Church	42.00
George Dennis	18.00
E. O. Bickford	36.19
W. A. Hilliard	15.00
A. Fellowes	17.63
L. Philbrick	9.56
R. F. Gove	12.00
P. Bean	19.50
Dynamite and caps	3.80
Cement	9.20
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	\$224.44

State Aid Maintenance, Extra Apportion By Levi N. Sanborn

A. Crowell	10.50
H. T. Philbrick	10.50
M. S. Armstrong	22.25
E. A. Bickford	41.65
U. Greigas	12.00
L. Dodge	60.00
H. Brown	82.50
G. Church	15.00
P. Healey	2.65
P. Bean	2.65
W. Hilliard	2.65
E. Rogers	2.65
R. Crowell	2.65
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	\$267.65

Prescott's Corner to Exeter Line

W. G. Armstrong	\$14.25
Arthur Crowell	45.75
H. T. Philbrick	78.38
W. B. Tyrel	24.00
O. Philbrick	14.00

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E. A. Bickford	11.50
Theodore Carter	6.00
Marlboro Carter	4.50
Paul Healey	3.00
Ernest Lord	12.37
Walter Gillispie	3.37
Albert Fellowes	12.37
Arthur George	6.37
Peter Bean	6.00
R. Crowell	12.37
F. L. Ferrin	12.37
R. Sargent	6.37
G. Dennis	12.37
John Ayres	12.37
Earl Wilbur	3.37
S. Blodgett	4.12
Alva Brewer	26.50
P. Blodgett	1.12
L. F. Wesson	9.57
L. F. Wesson gravel	97.50
L. Dodge	7.40
George Church	82.71
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	\$530.00

PAYROLLS

Stumpfield Road

Arthur Evans	\$154.00
Alexander Groetz	126.00
Melvin Armstrong	120.00
Herbert Eastman	147.00
Howard Blake	19.50
Moses Evans	39.38
Ernest Lord	27.00
Dale Gillispie	31.50
Joseph Clark	25.50
Earl Wilbur	28.50
Howard Eastman	36.00

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John Blake	13.50
George Eastman	24.00
Otis Eastman	57.14
Amos Gove	1.88
Granville Gilmore	33.00
Paul Healey	6.00
Henry Brown, gravel	80.60
John Blake, rocks	22.00
Ralph Gove, rocks	7.50
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	\$1,000.00

George B. Shaw, Highway Agent

In account with Town of Kensington, 1931

On road from brick school house to top of Moulton's Hill

Paid George B. Shaw, labor	\$42.25
Stuart Blodgett	24.38
Alfred Scott	4.50
Parker Blodgett	12.00
H. M. Baker, team	39.82
P. N. Beane	36.20
S. W. Shaw, team	39.35
W. B. Tyrel, truck	12.00
George J. Shaw	6.00
E. A. Bickford	10.50
George B. Shaw, truck	77.25
George B. Shaw, gravel @ 20c	21.60
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	\$325.85
Received from Town	\$325.85

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George B. Shaw, Highway Agent
In account with Town of Kensington, 1931
Bridge Job at George Weare's

Paid Stuart Blodgett	\$5.07
H. M. Baker, team	3.50
Peter N. Beane	3.56
George J. Shaw	3.00
E. A. Bickford	5.07
S. W. Shaw, team and labor	17.00
George B. Shaw, labor, truck and cement	47.51
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	\$84.71
Received from Town	\$84.71

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON ON JANUARY 31ST, 1932

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1912	John F. Gill Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	100.00	4	33.46	6.73	2.00	38.19
1914	Hannah Moulton, Library Books	Man. Savings Bank	1,000.00	4		50.82	50.82	
1916	Mary S. Blake, Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	100.00	4	28.94	6.50	2.00	33.44
1918	Elizabeth H. Osgood, Cemetery Fund	U. S. Liberty Bond	100.00	4 1/4	17.78	4.25	2.00	20.03
1922	James P. Bartlett, Cemetery Fund	Exeter Banking Co.	100.00	4	18.82	4.78	7.00	16.60

1923 George M. Gove, Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	150.00	4	26.98	8.93	2.00	33.91
1926 Ellen F. Bingham, Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	100.00	4	17.25	5.92	2.00	21.17
1928 Clara A. Rhodes, Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	100.00	4	10.43	5.58	2.00	14.01
1929 William H. Eaton, Cemetery Fund	Exeter Bankings Co.	200.00	4	6.75	8.32	2.00	13.07
1931 Susan S. Webster, Cemetery Fund	Man. Savings Bank	200.00	4		6.70		6.70

Kensington, N. H., February 17th, 1932.

Having this day examined the accounts of George A. Prescott, Treasurer of Kensington Public Trust Funds, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and do hereby approve the same

MARION E. FRAME,
Auditor.

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REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

The circulation from February 1, 1931 to January 31, 1932 was as follows:

	Public	Social	Total
Biography	35	6	41
History	12	4	16
Travel	38	7	45
Poetry	14	3	17
Science	4	1	5
Social Science	4	4	8
Natural History	8	2	10
Literature	4	4	8
Agriculture	7	0	7
Juvenile Fiction	474	40	514
Fiction	1202	154	1356
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	1802	225	2027

Magazines, 52.

Persons using reading room, 145.

NEW BOOKS

Purchased With Town Funds:

Mindcraft	Howard Crosby
Grandfather's Farm	Helen S. Read
Mr. Brown's Grocery Store	Helen S. Read
Heidi	Johanna Spyri
Baby Animals	Dumm and Troxell
Wee Ann	E. C. Phillips
Around the World with Children	F. G. Carpenter
Pilgrim Stories	M. B. Humphrey
The F-U-N Book	La Rue
Fifty Famous Stories	Baldwin
The Snow Children	Walker
Pelle's New Suit	Beskow

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Silent Reading Hour	Buswell
Moulton Fund Books:	
Little America	Byrd
Road Back	Remarque
All Along Shore	Lincoln
Blowing Clear	Lincoln
Sunset Pass	Grey
Man's Own Show: Civilization	Dorsey
Ths Man Nobody Knows	Barton
The Book Nobody Knows	Barton
Trader Horne	Horne and Lewis
Our Presidents	Morgan
Italy Under Mussolini	Bolitho
East of the Sun and West of the Moon	Roosevelt
Canary Murder Case	S. S. Van Dine
Jude the Obscure	Hardy
Bernt Balchen	Lawrence
Whiteoaks of Jalna	La Roche
The Good Earth	Buck
The Eternal City	Caine
Can You Forgive Her—(3 Vol.)	Trollope
I Went to Russia	O'Flaherty
Soldiers of Misfortune	Wren
The Friendly Way	Guest
The Roar of the Crowd	Corbett
The Tavern Knight	Sabatini
The Phantom of the Opera	Leroux
The Enchanted Hill	Kyne
Babbitt	Lewis
Elmer Gantry	Lewis
Orange-Yellow Diamond	Fletcher
Wild Life in Blue Mountains	Baynes
Book of the Woods	Gauss
White Face	Wallace
Red Pepper Returns	Richmond
Mahatma Gandhi	Andrews
Gifts of Ethel B. Crosby:	
Cume Train	Macauley
The Nuracle Merchant	Merrel
The Golden Ladder	Hughes

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Secrets	Batchelder
Bride of the Night	Gerard
Kendall's Sister	Swazey
Royton Manor	Mason
Blue Eyes and Grey	Orezy
The House of Adventure	Deeping
Exile	Deeping
The Kingmakers	B. E. Stevenson
The Little French Girl	Sedgwick
Blood Royal	Yates
Those Difficult Years	Baldwin
Little Thank You	O'Connor
Father Brighthopes	Trowbridge
Spanish Sunlight	Pryde
Nightfall	Pryde
The Not Impossible She	Weigall
Dawn	E. H. Porter
The Peep Show	Dudeney
East Wind: West Wind	Buck
Second Eden	Ward
The Woman Hunters	Roche
Fathoms Deep	E. S. Payne
The Golden Lotus	Locke
Ernestine Sophia	Cleugh
The Masterful Monkey	Dudley
Willow Creek	Reynolds
The Affair at the Chateau	Reynolds
The Forbidden Woman	Mocatta
The Inn of the Hawk and the Raven	McCutcheon
Eris	Chambers
Defensless America	Maxim
Forbidden	Conquest
Gift of Hon. John H. Bartlett:	
The Legend of Ann Smith	Bartlett
Gift of Rand McNally Co.:	
Favorite Pages from Child Life	Barrows and Cavanaugh

GEORGE OSGOOD,

Librarian.

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FINANCIAL REPORT OF LIBRARY

Receipts

Cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1931	\$21.95
Received from Town Treasurer	200.00
Moulton fund	50.82
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	\$272.77

Expenses

Paid Librarian's salary	\$100.00
Neal Printing, binding books	17.56
New books	59.76
Magazines	11.50
Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	24.59
Printing	4.50
Incidentals	2.24
Lawn mower repair	2.25
Wood	36.00
Geo. Osgood, cutting wood	3.00
Cleaning	6.30
Balance on hand, Feb. 11th	5.07
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	\$272.77

MARION P. KIMBALL

Trustee.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Kensington, N. H., Feb. 26, 1932.

This is to certify that we have this day examined the accounts of Henry W. Brown, Otis H. Eastman and Levi N. Sanborn, Selectmen; Harry T. Philbrick, Treasurer, with a cash balance of \$198.79; George B. Shaw, George Everett Ray and Alonzo Carter, Road Agents; Marion P. Kimball, Library Treasurer, with a cash balance of \$5.07; Horace Evans, Town Clerk, and Everett S. Mace, Tax Collector for 1931, with uncollected taxes of \$1,883.90, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and do hereby approve the same.

GEORGE A. PRESCOTT

MARION E. FRAME

Auditors.

SCHOOL REPORT

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

Financial Statement for Year Ending July 1, 1931

Balance from 1930	\$290.29
Rec'd from Selectmen	4,650.00
Rec'd from State Treasurer	1,021.30
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	\$5,961.59

Expenditures

Teachers' salaries	\$2,591.34
Tuitions	2,149.64
Supervisory Union	189.00
State tax	132.00
Text books	97.79
Scholars' supplies	84.58
Fuel	146.50
Janitor service	115.00
Water, light and janitor supplies	34.50
Minor repairs and expenses	72.02
New equipment	18.45
Expense of instruction	5.87
School census	6.00
Expense of administration	13.57
Medical examination	126.56
Alteration of old buildings	127.42
Officers' salaries	41.00
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	\$5,951.24

RECAPITULATION

Teachers' Salaries

Carrie E. Robie	\$900.00
Theodora Turcotte	850.00
Marjorie Milbrey	470.33
Annie Sewell	371.01
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	\$2,591.34

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Tuition

School Department of Amesbury	\$866.64
Exeter School Department	496.00
Robinson Seminary	787.00
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	\$2,149.64
Supervisory Union	\$189.00
State tax	\$132.00

Text Books

Webster Publishing Co.	\$ 6.39
Scott Foresman & Co.	28.28
Ginn & Co.	4.54
Edward E. Babb & Co.	5.43
Little Brown & Co.	4.12
American Book Co.	1.40
Scott Foresman & Co.	4.18
Charles Scribner and Sons	6.98
Rowe Peterson	4.14
Houghton Mifflin & Co.	1.47
Lyons & Carnahan	4.06
World Book Co.	6.50
Laidlow Brothers	3.23
Charles E. Merrill Co.	3.66
John C. Winston CO.	7.69
Scott, Foresman & Co.	1.82
The MacMillan Co.	3.90
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	\$97.79

Scholars' Supplies

J. L. Hammett Co.	\$40.49
Edward E. Babb & Co.	9.65
Milton Bradley Co.	24.26
World Book Co.	3.23
Edward E. Babb & Co.	5.35
J. L. Hammett Co.	1.60
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	\$84.58

Fuel

Herbert L. Eastman	\$62.50
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C. Sumner Card	48.00
Alexander Groetz	36.00
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Janitor Service

Theodore Turcotte	\$13.00
Marjorie Milbury	22.00
Margaret George •	38.00
Florence Strout	26.00
Annie Sewall	16.00
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Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$7.50
Exeter Pottery Works	9.50
J. A. Broderick	1.50
Edward E. Babb	7.25
W. A. Young	.75
Russell Smith	2.25
Frank Rosencrantz	2.25
Catherine Wilbur	3.50
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Minor Repairs

Frank Brown	\$10.00
Alexander Groetz	3.00
George Manson	7.20
Grace Gilmore	5.00
Florence Strout	15.05
Elsie Beckman	5.25
Hilliard & Kimball	2.65
W. A. Young	3.22
C. Sumner Card	4.00
Alexander Groetz	3.50
Florence Strout	1.40
Margaret George	1.00
A. L. Sleeper (unnamed order for this amount)	2.50
Agnes E. Bristol	.95

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Edward Hunt	2.50
W. A. Young	4.80

\$72.02

New Equipment

J. L. Hammett	\$18.45
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Expense of Instruction

University Publishing Co.	\$1.59
World Book Co.	4.28

\$5.87

School census	\$6.00
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Expense of Administration

W. A. Hilliard (Auditor)	\$2.00
Agnes E. Bristol	5.15
Mirian Hunt	.62
Edson Eastman	.80
Baker Agency (Treas. bond)	5.00

\$13.57

Medical Examination

True E. Smith	\$54.00
True E. Smith	72.56

\$126.56

Alteration of Old Buildings

Horace O. Evans	\$127.42
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Officers' Salaries

Agnes E. Bristol (Chairman)	\$15.00
Mirian Hunt	10.00
Dorothy R. Card (Treas.)	10.00
Ruth B. Armstrong	2.00
George A. Prescott	1.50

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Flora Wadleigh (salary due husband)	2.50
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Total expenditures	\$41.00
	\$5,951.24
Balance on hand	10.35
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	\$5,961.59

DOROTHY R. CARD,
Treasurer.

July 1931: Having examined the accounts of Dorothy Card, Treasurer of the Shool District of Kensington, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched with a balance in her hands of \$10.35.

GEORGE A. PRESCOTT,
Auditor.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

July 11, 1931 to Feb. 11, 1932

Receipts

Balance	\$ 10.35
Received from Selectmen	3,800.00
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	\$3,810.35

Expenditures

Teachers' salaries	\$1,325.00
Tuitions	1,790.15
Supervisory Union	189.00
Text books	42.61
Scholars' supplies	46.96
Fuel	123.00
Janitor service	59.00
Minor repairs and expenses	125.29
Water, light and janitor supplies	34.45

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School census	6.00
Medical examination	33.35
New equipment	2.76
Expenses of adminstration	5.25
Officers' salary	2.50
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	\$3,785.32

Teachers' Salaries

Theodora Turcotte	\$450.00
Minnie Gerry	450.00
Elsie Beckman	425.00
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	\$1,325.00

Tuitions

Amesbury School Department	\$771.15
Exeter School Department	372.00
Robinson Seminary	647.00
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	\$1,790.15
Supervisory Union	\$189.00

Text Books

Scott, Foresman & Co.	\$22.29
Ginn & Co.	7.13
Edward E. Babb & Co.	5.94
Charles E. Merrill Co.	6.28
J. B. Lippincott Co.	.97
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	\$42.61

Scholars' Supplies

J. L. Hamett & Co.	\$25.84
World Book Co.	5.73
Edward E. Babb & Co.	13.92
Milton Bradley Co.	1.47
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	\$46.96

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Fuel

John C. Ayres	\$1.50
Melvin G. Armstrong	37.50
Herbert L. Eastman	84.00
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	\$123.00

Janitor Service

Minnie Gerry	\$20.00
Elsie Beckman	20.00
Florence Strout	19.00
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	\$59.00

Minor Repairs and Expenses

Philip Bernier	\$12.00
Ruth B. Armstrong	15.25
Ada G. Beckman	16.10
Agnes E. Bristol	5.00
W. A. Young	7.28
J. F. Clark	30.47
M. G. Armstrong	1.00
Amesbury Hardware Co.	3.58
Walter Greenwood	3.20
W. A. Young	8.70
J. P. Blake	11.50
Milton Bradley Co.	1.36
Florence Strout	1.75
R. E. Meras	2.50
Alberta Beckman	2.10
C. A. Towle	3.50
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	\$125.29

Water, Light and Janitor Supplies

Exeter Pottery Works	\$9.25
Walter Vaughn	9.00
Frank Rosencrantz	8.90
Edward E. Babb & Co.	7.30
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	\$34.45
School Census	\$6.00

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Medical Examination

Mrs. Angella Dolbec	\$33.35
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New Equipment

J. L. Hammett	\$1.66
Remington Rand Business Service Inc.	1.10
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	2.76

Expense of Administration

George A. Prescott	\$2.00
Ruth B. Armstrong	3.25
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	\$5.25

Officers' Salaries

Miriam Hzent (salary to date of resignation)	\$2.50
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Total Expenditures	<hr/>	\$3,785.32
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DOROTHY R. CARD,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board of Kensington, N. H.

I take pleasure in submitting my annual report as Superintendent of the Kensington schools, the thirteenth in the series of such reports.

In the interests of economy in printing a number of the statistical tables which for two years have been incorporated in this report are now omitted. Those tables which give very important information about our schools and their daily work have been included. Your attention is called to them. Table I shows much of the history of our schools for the past twelve years, and tells us how enrollment, salaries, interest of the public, sickness and other matters have varied from year to year. In the late years

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our percentage of attendance has for the most part been better than in the early years of the period shown in this table. I think it may be due to at least three causes; epidemics of sickness have been fewer, our roads have been freer of snow during the whole winter, and parents and teachers have cooperated in rousing and maintaining pupil interest. The figures reached in the last two years is very creditable. Table II shows some of the same items as table I, but the information is about each school during the past year. Table III gives public recognition to special effort on the part of pupils. It often happens of course, that sickness or some other unavoidable cause prevents a pupil's attendance for one session in a year thus depriving him of this public recognition when he has been, in wish and spirit, as faithful as others. Table III in last year's report was not quite accurate in reporting perfect attendance for Alice Gilmore of the West School for two terms.. She was in perfect attendance three terms.

It is fitting to make some permanent record of our appreciation and that of all citizens of Kensington of the conscientious service of Miss Carrie E. Robie during many years in the East School, which service ended last June at her wish. No one can accurately estimate Miss Robie's valuable service to the town and state. She always held before pupils high ideals of work, morality and good citizenship. Such qualities developed in young, grow increasingly in later years.

I take pleasure in commending the work of all our teachers. The standard of their work was never higher, and the influence of the schools was never more wholesome or satisfying.

I commend the report of the School Nurse to your attention. Mrs. Dolbec's work in the schools and community is very important. We hope for future and greater benefit to the pupils as more of them take advantage of the clinics.

With thanks to all school officers and citizens of Kensington for their hearty interest and cooperation in school work, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON A. TOWLE,

Superintendent of Supervisory Union No. 16.

Exeter, N. H., February 15, 1932.

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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Exeter, N. H., February 15, 1932.

To the School Board and Superintendent of Schools of Kensington, N. H.:

Following are the health activities in the Kensington schools during the present year:

Number of children examined	68
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Home visits made	5
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School visits made bi-weekly	
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Defects found	
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Vision	1
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Teeth	37
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Tonsile	7
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Underweight	18
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.....Unvaccinated	18	81
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Corrections:	
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Vision	1
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Teeth	9
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Tonsile	1
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Mastoid	1
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Treatment promised	2	14
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It is hoped that a dental clinic may be held later, at which the pupils may receive treatment at the usual low clinic rates and steps are being taken to raise money for this object. In the near future the State Board of Health will hold in this vicinity a free clinic for immunization against diphtheria.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the people of Kensington for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ANGELA HIGGINS DOLBEC, R.N.

School Nurse.

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TABLE I

Statistics For Twelve Years Ending June 30, 1931

School Year	Weeks in Year				Boys		Girls		Total Pupils	Average Attendance		Average Absence		Average Membership		Pct. of Attendance	Cases of Tardiness	Visits of Supt.	Visits of School B'd.	Visits of Others	Average Salary
1919-1920	36	52	32	84	54	5	59	91	171	33	3	86	\$648.00								
1920-1921	36	44	31	75	58	5	63	91	274	59	6	124	739.00								
1921-1922	36	33	30	63	53	5	58	90	26	47	5	97	783.00								
1922-1923	36	39	34	73	51	6	58	89	65	48	5	149	731.00								
1923-1924	37	38	40	78	56	8	63	87	137	49	9	197	731.00								
1924-1925	37	30	30	60	49	4	53	92	296	61	11	121	822.00								
1925-1926	37	33	43	76	51	5	56	91	198	56	7	147	822.00								
1926-1927	37	26	34	60	43	3	46	94	87	54	8	139	767.00								
1927-1928	37	20	29	49	39	3	42	93	105	56	13	113	867.00								
1928-1929	37	26	24	50	33	3	36	91	157	61	18	104	867.00								
1929-1930	38	29	21	50	42	2	44	96	130	79	22	141	867.00								
1930-1931	37	34	24	58	48	3	51	95	100	94	12	226	867.00								

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TABLE II
Statistics For School Year Ending June 30, 1931

School	Weeks in Year		Boys	Girls	Total Pupils	Av. Daily Attendance	Av. Daily Absence	Av. Membership	Pct. of Attendance	No. Cases	Tardiness	Visits of Supt.	Visits of School B'd	Visits of Others
North School	37	12	7	19	15.28	.48	15.76	96.	11	32	5	91		
East School	37	16	13	29	24.43	1.50	25.93	94.21	48	22	4	100		
West School	37	6	4	10	8.34	.69	9.03	91.25	41	40	3	35		

TABLE III
Record of Perfect Attendance, 1930-1931

Three Terms	
Joseph Hunter	Dorothy Robinson
Virginia Hunter	George Robinson
Edwin Jordon	Gertrude Strout
Two Terms	
Ralph Batchelder	Alice Gilmore
Richard Batchelder	Caroline Mitchell
Eugene Brewster	Leonard Mitchell
Ray Brewster	Horace Palmer
Geneva Brown	Helen Plummer
James Colby	John Robinson
Clayton Eastman	Richard Tyrel
One Term	
Donald Batchelder	Eugene Mitchell
Albert Dunton	Lolo Plummer
Herbert Jordan	Charles Smith
Robert Kimball	Russell Smith
Eva Laonis	William Wadleigh

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SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1932-1933

• School District of Kensington, N. H.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1932.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

*Support of Schools	Elementary Schools
Teachers' Salaries	\$2,517.50
Text Books	75.00
Scholars' Supplies	50.00
Janitor Service	111.00
Fuel	180.00
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	45.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses	150.00
Health Supervision (Medical Inspection)	54.00
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	\$3,192.50
 Other Statutory Requirements	
Salaries of District Officers (fixed by District)	\$65.50
Truant Officer and School Census (fixed by District)	6.00
Payment of Tuitions in High Schools and Academies (estimated by Board)	2,300.00
Superintendent's Excess Salary (Fixed by Supervisory Union)	189.00
Per Capita Tax (Reported by State Treasurer)	148.00
Other Obligations	\$2,708.50
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Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget	\$5,901.00

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ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State Aid (December 1932 Allotment)	\$845.91
Dog Tax (estimate)	40.00

Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)	\$885.91
Assessment required to balance School Board's Budget	\$5,015.00

RUTH B. ARMSTRONG

AGNES E. BRISTOL

School Board.

Kensington, N. H., February 15, 1932.

*\$3.50 per \$1,000 of taxable inventory is minimum required by law.

To apply for state aid \$2,373.17 must be raised for elementary schools.

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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the Town of Kensington, N. H., qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 12 day of March, 1932, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years .
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Kensington this 15th day of February, 1932.

RUTH B. ARMSTRONG
AGNES E. BRISTOL

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RUTH B. ARMSTRONG
AGNES E. BRISTOL

School Board.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1931

Date	Name of Child (if any)	Male or Female	No. of Child	Living or Still Born	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb. 27	Robert Wesley Wilbur	M	6	L	Earl H. Wilbur	Nancy H. Kelly	Kensington, N. H.	Plaistow, N. H.
Apr. 15	Smith	F	7	L	Clyde E. Smith	Zelma Brown	Stonington, Me.	Warren, Maine
June 27	Cardell Baxter Cook	M	1	L	Raymond F. Cook	Dorothy Baxter	Maypeary, Tex.	Boston, Mass.
July 28	George Arthur Evans	M	4	L	Arthur C. Evans	Mildred A. Smart	Amesbury, Mass.	Exeter, N. H.
Oct. 9	George	M	4	L	Arthur George	Margaret Douglas	Byfield, Mass.	Kensington, N. H.

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORACE O. EVANS,
Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON, N. H., FOR THE YR. ENDING DEC. 31, 1931

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age in Years	Color of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Aug. 15	Kensington	Alfred Jordan	21	W	West Newbury, Mass.	Alfred Jordan	1st	Herbert L. Eastman
		Doris L. Smart	18	W	Stoneham, Mass	Grace Wilbur Burton H. Smart	1st	Justice of the Peace Kensington, N. H.
						Mabel L. Vinton		

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORACE O. EVANS,
Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF KENSINGTON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1931

Date	Age			Place of Birth	Male or Female	Color	Single	Married or Widowed	Name of Father	Maiden Name of	
	Years	Months	Days							Mother	
Sept. 25	Hyla D. Peacock	62	11	1	Kensington, N. H.	M	W	S	Hyla D. Peacock	Abigail	—

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HORACE O. EVANS,
Town Clerk

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